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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 21 December 1995

SECURITY COUNCIL

10 a.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

Bosnia and Herzegovina (S/1995/1049)*

Croatia

Iraq (S/1995/1038)

Liberia (S/1995/1042)

Other matters

4.30 p.m.	3612th meeting	Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Angola

   Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (UNAVEM III) (S/1995/1012)

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* Possibly followed by a formal meeting.

SECURITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE ESTABLISHED BY RESOLUTION 724 (1991) CONCERNING YUGOSLAVIA

3 p.m.	139th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fiftieth session

3 p.m. 97th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination: report of the Third Committee (A/50/626) [103].

2. Right of peoples to self-determination: report of the Third Committee (A/50/627) [104].

3. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family: report of the Third Committee (A/50/628) [105].

4. Crime prevention and criminal justice: report of the Third Committee (A/50/629) [106].

5. International drug control: report of the Third Committee (A/50/631) [108].

6. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions: report of the Third Committee (A/50/632) [109].

7. Promotion and protection of the rights of children [110]:

   (a) Report of the Third Committee (A/50/633);

   (b) Draft resolution (A/50/L.61/Rev.1);

   (c) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/832).

8. Programme of activities of the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People: report of the Third Committee (A/50/634) [111].

9. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of African Unity [43]:

   (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/50/575 and Add.1);

   (b) Draft resolution (A/50/L.51/Rev.1).

10. Armed Israeli aggression against the Iraqi nuclear installations and its grave consequences for the established international system concerning the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, the non-proliferation of nuclear weapons and international peace and security [51].

11. Consequences of the Iraqi occupation of and aggression against Kuwait [56].

Informal consultations

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on the restructuring and revitalization of the United Nations in the economic, social and related fields (agenda item 23)

Informal consultations

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 4

Informal consultations conducted by H.E. Dr. Ernst Sucharipa (Austria) on draft proposals submitted under agenda item 20:

Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance [20]:

(b) Special economic assistance to individual countries or regions (A/50/L.43)

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda items 123, 134 and 135 (Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission (A/50/651 and Add.1-2 and A/50/814); Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia (A/50/650 and Add.1); and Financing of the United Nations Mission for Rwanda (A/50/712))

3 p.m.-4.30 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 128 (Financing of the United Nations Protection Force, the United Nations Confidence-Restoration Operation in Croatia, the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force and the United Nations Peace Forces Headquarters Force (A/50/696/Add.3))

4.30 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 121 (United Nations common system (A/50/30 and Corr.1; A/C.5/50/5, A/C.5/50/11, A/C.5/50/23, A/C.5/50/24 and Corr.1 and A/C.5/50/29))

6.30 p.m.-11 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on all outstanding issues

FIFTH COMMITTEE

11.30 p.m.	44th meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors [113]

Action on draft resolution A/C.5/50/L.20

2. Financing of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda [135]

*Action on draft resolution A/C.5/50/L.23**

3. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia [134]

*Action on draft resolution A/C.5/50/L.24**

4. Financing of the United Nations Protection Force, the United Nations Confidence Restoration Operation in Croatia, the United Nations Preventive Deployment Force and the United Nations Peace Forces headquarters [128]

*Action on draft decision A/C.5/50/L.26**

5. Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission [123]

*Action on draft resolution A/C.5/50/L.25**

6. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [120]

Action on draft resolutions A/C.5/50/L.21 and A/C.5/50/L.22**

7. Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations [138]

(a) Financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations

Action on draft decisions A/C.5/50/L.13 and A/C.5/50/L.14

(b) Relocation of Ukraine to the group of Member States set out in paragraph 3 (c) of General Assembly resolution 43/232

Action on draft decision A/C.5/50/L.14

* To be issued.

8. Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1996-1997 [116]

(a) Conditions of service and compensation for officials, other than Secretariat officials, serving the General Assembly: full-time members of the International Civil Service Commission and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions (A/C.5/50/12)

9. United Nations common system [121] (A/C.5/50/24 and Corr.1; and A/50/7/Add.7)

*Action on draft resolution A/C.5/50/L.27**

10. Proposed programme budget for the biennium 1996-1997 [116]

Adoption of the programme budget

11. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [114]

Action on draft decisions A/C.5/50/L.18 and A/C.5/50/L.19**

11. Closure of the work of the Fifth Committee at the fiftieth regular session of the General Assembly

* To be issued.

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

11 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

Executive session

MEETINGS OTHER THAN MEETINGS OF UNITED NATIONS BODIES

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Thursday, 21 December 1995

ASIAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Friday, 22 December 1995

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fiftieth session

10 a.m. **98th PLENARY MEETING** **General Assembly Hall**

1. Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance: special economic assistance to individual countries or regions [20 (b)]:

   (a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/50/541 and Add.1, A/50/506, A/50/654);

   (b) Note by the Secretary-General (A/50/743);

   (c) Draft resolutions (A/50/L.58/Rev.1, A/50/L.64/Rev.2).

2. Implementation of the United Nations New Agenda for the Development of Africa in the 1990s [24]:

   (a) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/50/490, A/50/520);

   (b) Draft resolution (A/50/L.40/Rev.1).

3. The situation in Burundi [26]:

   (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/50/541 and Add.1);

   (b) Draft resolution (A/50/L.59/Rev.1).

4. Implementation of the outcome of the World Summit for Social Development [161]:

   (a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/50/670);

   (b) Draft resolution (A/50/L.66).

5. Financing of the United Nations Mission for the Referendum in Western Sahara: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/819) [125].

6. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/818) [126].

7. Financing of the United Nations Peace-keeping Force in Cyprus: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/827) [131].

8. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Georgia: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/820) [132].

9. Financing of the United Nations Mission of Observers in Tajikistan: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/828) [137].

10. Administrative and budgetary aspects of the financing of the United Nations peace-keeping operations: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/821) [138].

11. Programme planning: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/795) [158].

12. Human resources management: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/834) [159].

13. Admission of the World Tourism Organization to membership in the United Nations Joint Staff Pension Fund: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/822) [166].

14. Report of the Economic and Social Council: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/794) [12].

3 p.m. 99th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Advancement of women: report of the Third Committee (A/50/630) [107].

2. Human rights questions: report of the Third Committee (Part I) (A/50/635) [112]:

   (a) Implementation of human rights instruments: report of the Third Committee (Part II) (A/50/635/Add.1);

   (b) Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms: report of the Third Committee (Part III) (A/50/635/Add.2);

   (c) Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives: report of the Third Committee (Part IV) (A/50/635/Add.3).

   (d) Comprehensive implementation of and follow-up to the Vienna Declaration and Programme of Action: report of the Third Committee (Part V) (A/50/635/Add.4);

   (e) Human rights questions: report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights: report of the Third Committee (Part VI) (A/50/635/Add.5).

3. Implementation of the outcome of the Fourth World Conference on Women: Action for Equality, Development and Peace: report of the Third Committee (A/50/816) [165].

4. Report of the Economic and Social Council: report of the Third Committee (A/50/625) [12].

5. Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors: report of the Fifth Committee* [113].

6. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations: report of the Fifth Committee* [114].

7. Programme budget for the biennium 1994-1995: report of the Fifth Committee* [115].

8. Improving the financial situation of the United Nations: report of the Fifth Committee* [117].

9. Joint Inspection Unit: report of the Fifth Committee* [118].

10. Pattern of conferences: report of the Fifth Committee* [119].

11. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations: report of the Fifth Committee* [120].

12. United Nations common system: report of the Fifth Committee* [121].

13. Financing of the United Nations Angola Verification Mission: report of the Fifth Committee* [123].

14. Financing of the activities arising from Security Council resolution 687 (1991): report of the Fifth Committee* [124].

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* To be issued.

15. Financing and liquidation of the United Nations Transitional Authority in Cambodia: report of the Fifth Committee* [127].

16. Financing of the United Nations Operation in Somalia II: report of the Fifth Committee* [129].

17. Financing of the liquidation of the United Nations Operation in Mozambique: report of the Fifth Committee* [130].

18. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in Liberia: report of the Fifth Committee* [134].

19. Financing of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda: report of the Fifth Committee* [135].

20. Financing of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991: report of the Fifth Committee* [136].

21. Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the Office of Internal Oversight Services: report of the Fifth Committee* [149].

22. Financing of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January and 31 December 1994: report of the Fifth Committee* [160].

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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REVIEW CONFERENCE OF THE STATES PARTIES TO THE CONVENTION ON CERTAIN CONVENTIONAL WEAPONS

(Geneva, 15 to 19 January and 22 April to 3 May 1996)

The States Parties to the Convention on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Certain Conventional Weapons which May Be Deemed to Be Excessively Injurious or to Have Indiscriminate Effects (CCW) decided by consensus at the 8th meeting of the Review Conference, held on 13 October 1995, that the Conference will continue its work at resumed sessions to be held at the Palais des Nations in Geneva, from 15 to 19 January 1996 and from 22 April to 3 May 1996.

Participants and observers

All States are invited to participate in the resumed sessions of the Conference. The representatives of organizations which have been granted observer status in the United Nations; of United Nations organs; of specialized or other related agencies and of other intergovernmental organizations invited to the Conference may participate as observers in the deliberations of the Conference and its subsidiary organs. Non-governmental organizations may designate representatives to attend public meetings of the Conference and its Main Committees.

Credentials

Credentials of representatives of States which have not yet been submitted should be transmitted to the Secretary-General of the Conference, Mr. Sohrab Kheradi (Room S-3170-A, United Nations, New York).

Documents

The agenda and the rules of procedure of the Conference are contained in the final report of the CCW Group of Experts (CCW/CONF.I/1). The interim report on the work of the Review Conference is contained in document CCW/CONF.I/8/Rev.1. The "President's Text" of the Protocol on Prohibitions or Restrictions on the Use of Mines, Booby Traps and Other Devices (Protocol II) is contained in document CCW/CONF.I/WP.4.

First resumed session

The 15-19 January session of the Review Conference will concentrate on issues pertaining to articles 2 to 6 of Protocol II and on its Technical Annex.

Registration procedures

Registration of participants and observers to the Conference will take place at the Palais des Nations in Geneva. Participants or observers wishing to receive additional information are kindly requested to contact the Centre for Disarmament Affairs (Ms. Cheryl Stoute; tel: (212) 963-6033; fax: (212) 963-1121).

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme and the United Nations Fund for Population

The first regular session 1996 of the Executive Board of UNDP and UNFPA will be held from 15 to 19 January 1996 in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The provisional agenda, annotations, list of documents and work plan are contained in document DP/1996/L.1.

Delegations, as well as observers, are requested to fax their credentials to the secretariat of the Executive Board (906-5776) as soon as possible, but *no later than 5 January 1996*.

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United Nations Children's Fund

An informal pre-session briefing on major issues before the Executive Board of UNICEF at its first regular session (22-26 January 1996) will take place on Friday, 12 January 1995, at 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. All delegations are invited.

The first regular session of 1996 of the EXECUTIVE BOARD of UNICEF will be held from 22 to 26 January 1996 at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The provisional annotated agenda and organization of work are contained in document E/ICEF/1996/2.

Delegations are requested to fax their credentials to the Secretariat of UNICEF (326-7096) as soon as possible, but *no later than 17 January 1996*. In accordance with rule 50 (2) of the rules of procedure and its annex, observer delegations are also requested to communicate with their credentials their special interest in the items of the provisional agenda on which they intend to intervene.

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Announcement

As from Wednesday, 6 December 1995, and for the rest of the month, there will be an informal briefing by the President of the Security Council on the current work of the Council for Member States of the United Nations which are non-members of the Council every Wednesday and Friday at 3.30 p.m. in the Press Briefing Room (S-226).

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Secretariat has established a Help Desk to handle any technical problems which might arise in the use, by Member States, of any of the United Nations database access facilities. The number of the Help Desk for Permanent and Observer Missions is 963-6177.

Further, pursuant to Economic and Social Council resolution 1995/61, which addresses the need to harmonize and improve United Nations information systems for optimal utilization and accessibility by all States, the Officer-in-Charge of the Electronic Services Division, Mr. William D. Schieber, has been designated as the focal point for the implementation of this resolution. He can be contacted at 963-6445, and will respond to any queries from Permanent and Observer Missions which relate to electronic access to United Nations databases.

Full information on the types of database services provided by the United Nations will be communicated to all Permanent and Observer Missions at the beginning of 1996.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 19 December 1995

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Fiftieth session

95th plenary meeting

Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: appointment of a member of the Joint Inspection Unit: note by the President of the General Assembly (A/50/817) [17 (g)]

The General Assembly appointed Mr. Louis Dominique Ouedrago as a member of the Joint Inspection Unit for a term of office commencing on 1 January 1996 and expiring on 31 December 2000.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (g) of agenda item 17.

Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance: emergency international assistance for peace, normalcy and reconstruction of war-stricken Afghanistan; the situation in Afghanistan and its implications for international peace and security [20 (d) and 54]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/50/737);

(b) Draft resolution (A/50/L.60);

(c) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/825)

The representative of Germany made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/50/L.60.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Japan and Spain (on behalf of the European Union), as well as by Mr. A.R. Ghafoorzai, Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs of Afghanistan, and the representatives of India, Egypt, the United States, Turkey, Saudi Arabia and Pakistan.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/50/L.60 (resolution 50/88).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (d) of agenda item 20 and of agenda item 54.

Financing of the United Nations peace-keeping forces in the Middle East: United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/824) [122 (b)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Fifth Committee in paragraph 6 of its report (A/50/824) (resolution 50/89).

A statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic.

The Assembly concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 122.

Financing of the United Nations Mission in Haiti: report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/705/Add.2) [133]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Fifth Committee in paragraph 5 of Part III of its report (A/50/705/Add.2) (resolution 50/90).

The Assembly concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 133.

Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance: special economic assistance to individual countries or regions; the situation in Burundi [20 (b) and 26]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/50/541 and Add.1);

(b) Draft resolutions (A/50/L.58, A/50/L.59)

The representative of the Sudan made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolutions A/50/L.58 and A/50/L.59.

Statements were made by the representatives of Burundi, Ethiopia, Tunisia, Spain (on behalf of the European Union), Brazil, France, Rwanda, Cuba, China and Nigeria.

Members were informed that action on draft resolutions A/50/L.58 and A/50/L.59 would be taken later in the week.

Programme of work

Members were informed that, on Friday, 22 December, in the afternoon, the General Assembly would consider the reports of the Third Committee on agenda item 107 (Advancement of woman), on agenda item 112 (Human rights questions), on agenda item 165 (Implementation of the outcome of the Fourth World Conference on Woman: Action for Equality, Development and Peace), and on agenda item 12 (Report of the Economic and Social Council).

Wednesday, 20 December 1995

SECURITY COUNCIL

3611th meeting

An agenda for peace: peace-keeping

Letter dated 8 December 1995 from the representatives of Algeria, Argentina, Australia, Austria, Belgium, Brazil, Canada, Chile, the Czech Republic, Denmark, Egypt, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Honduras, Ireland, Italy, Japan, Malaysia, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Nigeria, Norway, Pakistan, Poland, Portugal, Spain, Sweden, Romania, Turkey, Ukraine, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1995/1025)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Algeria, Australia, Austria, Brazil, Canada, Colombia, Cuba, Egypt, Greece, India, Ireland, Japan, Luxembourg, Malaysia, New Zealand, Norway, Pakistan, the Republic of Korea, Spain, Tunisia, Turkey, Ukraine and Zimbabwe, at their request, to participate in the discussion of the item without the right to vote, in accordance with the relevant provisions on the Charter and rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard statements by the representatives of Argentina, the United States, the United Kingdom, France, China, Germany, the Czech Republic, Botswana, Italy and Indonesia, and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of the Russian Federation.

The Council also heard statements by the representatives of Japan, Ukraine, Algeria, Egypt, New Zealand, Spain, Australia and Canada.

The meeting was suspended.

Upon resumption, the Council heard statements by the representatives of Malaysia, Tunisia, Norway (on behalf of the Nordic countries: Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden), Ireland, Austria, Pakistan, Brazil, Luxembourg (on behalf of the Benelux countries: Belgium, the Netherlands and Luxembourg), Colombia, India, Greece, Turkey, Zimbabwe, the Republic of Korea and Cuba.

The representative of Argentina made a further statement.

The President made a statement.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Reports of the Second Committee

The Rapporteur of the Second Committee introduced the reports of the Committee on agenda items 12 and 94 to 102.

Macroeconomic policy questions: report of the Second Committee (A/50/616) [94]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to III recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 20 of its report (A/50/616) (resolutions 50/91, 50/92 and 50/93).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 21 of its report (A/50/616).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 94.

Sustainable development and international economic cooperation: report of the Second Committee (Part I and XIII) (A/50/617 and Add.12) [95]

The General Assembly took note of Part I of the report of the Second Committee on agenda item 95 (A/50/617).

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of Part XIII of its report (A/50/617/Add.12) (resolution 50/94).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 9 of Part XIII of its report (A/50/617/Add.12).

Trade and development: reports of the Second Committee (Part II) (A/50/617/Add.1) [95 (a)]

The General Assembly proceeded to take decisions on the draft resolutions I to IV recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 21 of Part II of its report (A/50/617/Add.1).

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution I (resolution 50/95)		Adopted	
Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 50/96)	100	30	22

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution III (resolution 50/97)		Adopted	
Draft resolution IV (resolution 50/98)		Adopted	

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 22 of Part II of its report (A/50/617/Add.1).

A statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of Spain (on behalf of the European Union).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 95.

Human settlements: report of the Second Committee (Part III) (A/50/617/Add.2) [95 (b)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 6 of Part III of its report (A/50/617/Add.2) (resolution 50/99).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 95.

United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II): report of the Second Committee (Part IV) (A/50/617/Add.3) [95 (c)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 9 of Part IV of its report (A/50/617/Add.3) (resolution 50/100).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 10 of Part IV of its report (A/50/617/Add.3).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (c) of agenda item 95.

Science and technology for development: report of the Second Committee (Part V) (A/50/617/Add.4) [95 (d)]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I and II recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 11 of Part V of its report (A/50/617/Add.4) (resolutions 50/101 and 50/102).

A statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of the United States.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (d) of agenda item 95.

Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Least Developed Countries for the 1990s: report of the Second Committee (Part VI) (A/50/617/Add.5) [95 (e)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 9 of Part VI of its report (A/50/617/Add.5) (resolution 50/103).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 10 of Part VI of its report (A/50/617/Add.5).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (e) of agenda item 95.

Women in development: report of the Second Committee (Part VII) (A/50/617/Add.6) [95 (f)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 7 of Part VII of its report (A/50/617/Add.6) (resolution 50/104).

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of Spain and the Philippines.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (f) of agenda item 95.

Human resources development: report of the Second Committee (Part VIII) (A/50/617/Add.7) [95 (g)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 6 of Part VII of its report (A/50/617/Add.7) (resolution 50/105).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (g) of agenda item 95.

Business and development: report of the Second Committee (Part IX) (A/50/617/Add.8) [95 (h)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 7 of Part IX of its report (A/50/617/Add.8) (resolution 50/106).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (h) of agenda item 95.

International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries: report of the Second Committee (Part X) (A/50/617/Add.9) [95 (i)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of Part X of its report (A/50/617/Add.9) (resolution 50/107).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (i) of agenda item 95.

United Nations initiative on opportunity and participation: report of the Second Committee (Part XI) (A/50/617/Add.10) [95 (j)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 7 of Part XI of its report (A/50/617/Add.10) (resolution 50/108).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (j) of agenda item 95.

Food and sustainable agricultural development: report of the Second Committee (Part XII) (A/50/617/Add.11) [95 (k)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 7 of Part XII of its report (A/50/617/Add.11) (resolution 50/109).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (k) of agenda item 95.

Environment and sustainable development: report of the Second Committee (Parts I and VII) (A/50/618 and Add.6) [96]

The General Assembly took note of Part I of the report of the Second Committee on agenda item 96.

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 7 of Part VII of its report (A/50/618/Add.6) (resolution 50/110).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of Part VII of its report (A/50/618/Add.6).

Implementation of decisions and recommendations of the United Nations Conference on Environment and Development [96 (a)]:

(i) Report of the Second Committee (Part II) (A/50/618/Add.1)

(ii) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/831)

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to III recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 20 of Part II of its report (A/50/618/Add.1) (resolutions 50/111, 50/112 and 50/113).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 21 of Part II of its report (A/50/618/Add.1).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 96.

Desertification and drought: report of the Second Committee (Part III) (A/50/618/Add.2) [96 (b)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 8 of Part III of its report (A/50/618/Add.2) (resolution 50/114).

The General Assembly adopted draft decisions I and II recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 9 of Part III of its report (A/50/618/Add.2).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 96.

Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind [96 (d)]:

(i) Report of the Second Committee (Part IV) (A/50/618/Add.3);

(ii) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/823)

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 7 of Part IV of its report (A/50/618/Add.3) (resolution 50/115).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (d) of agenda item 96.

Implementation of the outcome of the Global Conference on the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States: report of the Second Committee (Part V) (A/50/618/Add.4) [96 (e)]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 6 of Part V of its report (A/50/618/Add.4) (resolution 50/116).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (e) of agenda item 96.

International Decade for Natural Disaster Reduction: report of the Second Committee (Part VI) (A/50/618/Add.5) [96 (f)]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions A and B recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 11 of Part VI of its report (A/50/618/Add.5) (resolutions 50/117A and B).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 12 of Part VI of its report (A/50/618/Add.5).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (f) of agenda item 96.

Operational activities for development: report of the Second Committee (A/50/619) [97]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions I to III recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 17 of its report (A/50/619) (resolutions 50/118, 50/119 and 50/120).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 18 of its report (A/50/619).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 97.

Training and research: United Nations Institute for Training and Research: report of the Second Committee (A/50/620) [98]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 9 of its report (A/50/620) (resolution 50/121).

A statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of Spain (on behalf of the European Union).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 98.

Agenda for development: report of the Second Committee (A/50/621) [99]

The General Assembly was informed that no action had been taken by the Committee under agenda item 99.

The Assembly took note of the report of the Second Committee.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 99.

Renewal of the dialogue on strengthening international economic cooperation for development through partnership: report of the Second Committee (A/50/622) [100]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph of its report (A/50/622) (resolution 50/122).

A statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of Indonesia.

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 100.

International migration and development, including the convening of a United Nations conference on international migration and development: report of the First Committee (A/50/623) [101]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 9 of its report (A/50/623) (resolution 50/123).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 101.

Implementation of the Programme of Action of the International Conference on Population and Development: report of the First Committee (A/50/624) [102]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 10 of its report (A/50/624) (resolution 50/124).

The Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 102.

Report of the Economic and Social Council: report of the Second Committee (Parts I to III) (A/50/615 and Add.1 and 2) [12]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 5 of Part I of its report (A/50/615) (resolution 50/125).

The General Assembly proceeded to take decisions on the draft resolutions I to V recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 26 of Part II of its report (A/50/615/Add.1).

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution I (resolution 50/126)		Adopted	
Draft resolution II (resolution 50/127)		Adopted	
Draft resolution III (resolution 50/128)		Adopted	
Draft resolution IV (recorded vote) (resolution 50/129)	126	2	28
Draft resolution V (resolution 50/130)		Adopted	

The General Assembly adopted draft decisions I and II recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 27 of Part II of its report (A/50/615/Add.1).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Second Committee in paragraph 4 of Part III of its report (A/50/615/Add.2).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of the chapters of the report of the Economic and Social Council allocated to the Second Committee.

The Assembly thus concluded its consideration of all the reports of the Second Committee.

United Nations Educational and Training Programme for Southern Africa [34]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/50/750)

(b) Draft resolution (A/50/L.65)

The representative of Norway made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/50/L.65.

Statements were made by the representatives of Spain (on behalf of the European Union), South Africa and Swaziland.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/50/L.65 (resolution 50/131).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 34.

The situation in Central America: procedures for the establishment of a firm and lasting peace and progress in fashioning a region of peace, freedom, democracy and development [45]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/50/499)

(b) Note by the Secretary-General (A/50/482)

(c) Draft resolution (A/50/L.17/Rev.1)

(d) Report of the Fifth Committee (A/50/826)

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/50/L.17/Rev.1 (resolution 50/132).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 45.

Support by the United Nations system of the efforts of Governments to promote and consolidate new or restored democracies [41]:

(a) Report of the Secretary-General (A/50/332 and Corr.1 (English only))

(b) Draft resolution (A/50/L.19/Rev.1)

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/50/L.19/Rev.1 (resolution 50/133).

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 41.

Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance [20]:

(b) Special economic assistance to individual countries or regions:

(i) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/50/286, A/50/292, A/50/447, A/50/447, A/50/763)

(ii) Draft resolutions (A/50/L.41/Rev.1, A/50/L.54, A/50/L.56/Rev.1)

(c) Strengthening of international cooperation and coordination of efforts to study, mitigate and minimize the consequences of the Chernobyl disaster:

(i) Report of the Secretary-General (A/50/418)

(ii) Draft resolution (A/50/L.26/Rev.1)

The representative of Gabon made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/50/L.56/Rev.1.

The representative of Spain made a statement in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/50/L.54.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolutions A/50/L.41/Rev.1, A/50/L.54, A/50/L.56/Rev.1 and A/50/L.26/Rev.1 (resolutions 50/58G, 50/58H, 50/58I and 50/134).

Statements in explanation of vote were made by the, representatives of Israel, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya and the Islamic Republic of Iran.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 3237 (XXIX) of 22 November 1974 and 43/177 of 15 December 1988 the observer of Palestine made a statement.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of sub-item (c) of agenda item 20.

The President informed members, that action on other draft resolutions submitted under sub-item (b) of agenda item 20 would be taken on Friday, 22 December.

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE — 43rd meeting

NOTE: The summary of the 43rd meeting of the Fifth Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 1995/249).

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

Agreement Establishing the African Development Bank Done at Khartoum on 4 August 1963, as amended by Resolution 05-79 Adopted by the Board of Governors on 17 May 1979, concluded at Lusaka on 7 May 1982

Accession: South Africa (13 December 1995)*

Convention on the Safety of the United Nations and Associated Personnel, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 9 December 1994

Signature: United Kingdom (19 December 1995)

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* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

International Natural Rubber Agreement, 1994, concluded at Geneva on 17 February 1994

Signature and acceptance: Japan (19 December 1995)*

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* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Staff Council

There will be a meeting of the Staff Council *today*, 21 December 1995, from 1.15 p.m. to 2.45 p.m. in Conference Room 4. The meeting is open to staff members only.

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Gift presentation

Today, 21 December 1995, at 12.45 p.m., a gift from the Russian Federation will be presented by H.E. Mr. Sergey V. Lavrov, Permanent Representative of the Russian Federation to the United Nations, on the occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations. The unveiling of the gift, a miniature of the sculpture entitled "Tree of Life" by the artist Ernst Nezvestny, will take place in the second-floor corridor outside of the Trusteeship Council Chamber. The Secretary-General will accept the gift on behalf of the United Nations.

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